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THE KAISER'S RECRUITING CAMPAIGN IN EAST ANGLIA: MANY
MEN ENLIST AFTER YESTERDAY'S FUTILE AIR RAID.



Soldiers marching past a wrecked cottage at Maldon. Many other men have joined since the raid.



Recruiting sergeant busy amid the wreckage.



Lady Stradbroke picks up a bomb in the grounds.



"Tommy" goes fishing for bombs at Maldon and lands his first "catch."

There was another futile gasbag raid on East Anglia yesterday. Net result, many men joined the British Army and one aged fowl and a blackbird were killed. The only suitable target which the airmen could find was Henham Hall, the Countess of Strad-

broke's residence, which is now a military hospital. The aim was, however, bad, and though the enemy was as prodigal as ever with his bombs, he failed to hit the building.—(Daily Mirror and Topical.)

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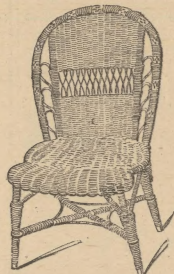
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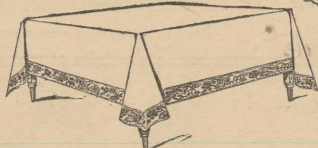
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Wonderful Picture in "Sunday Pictorial" of Torpedoing of Steamer.

TRIBUTE TO WOMEN.

A thrilling story of the torpedoing of a German steamer laden with arms and ammunition has come to hand.

She was carrying her cargo to the Syrian coast. Hearing a British steamer was in the neighbourhood her captain ran her ashore, flooded the holds and removed portions of the machinery.

She was then abandoned, and on being discovered by the British cruiser was blown up. A wonderful picture of the inglorious end of this German vessel will be published exclusively in to-morrow's *Sunday Pictorial*.

Many other remarkable photographs will appear in this immensely popular Sunday paper.

There will be pictures of the war (you may recognise a relative or friend of yours there), pictures of to-day's most interesting happenings in England, and pictures of many beautiful women.

Besides these alluring snapshots there will be pages and pages of news, giving a complete record of all the events of importance at home and abroad up to the small hours of to-morrow morning.

"THE MACHINE-MADE NATION."

The *Sunday Pictorial* has already become famous for its unrivalled literary contributions. To-morrow's special articles, remarkable alike for their fine literary quality and their arresting human interest, are even better than ever.

Miss Beatrice Harraden, the famous author of "Ships That Pass in the Night," contributes an exquisitely-written article on the splendid part played by women in the great war.

A bright and entertaining essay on "The Machine-Made Nation," is contributed by Mr. Bottomley.

A sensational revelation of the work of the German Fleet during its stay in German waters is made by Mr. J. J. Bennett, the well-known naval writer.

Many other features of interest to the home circle will also be found in the pages of this entertaining paper.

Last Sunday thousands of people were unable to obtain a copy. You, too, may be disappointed to-morrow unless you order the paper to-day.

BARON ROTHSCHILD'S WILL.

Probate of Baron Rothschild's will was reported yesterday to have been granted, and the estate has been provisionally returned as being of the value of £2,500,000. The following are some of the provisions of the will:—

To his eldest son, Lionel, now second Baron Rothschild—A life annuity of £5,000. To his wife—£100,000, all his jewels and personal ornaments, and the usufruct of his house in Piccadilly, with all its contents, except the art collection and money and securities.

To his son, Nathaniel Charles Rothschild—His share in the firm of N. M. Rothschild and Sons, and all his capital in the firm, together with accrued income from his share.

To his daughter, the Hon. Mrs. Behrens—£150,000 (reduced by codicil from £200,000 owing to the war). To each of his brothers, Leopold and Arthur, and to each of the children of his son Nathaniel Charles, or their issue, £100,000. The Hon. Mrs. Behrens, attaining majority—£5,000.

710 GUINEAS FOR BLANK CANVAS.

Among the most curious articles put up at the Red Cross sale at Christie's yesterday were blank canvases, the gifts of famous living artists, who engage to fill them with the portrait of the highest bidders.

The following are the prices realised for some of these strange gifts:

Mr. P. Lassalle—£710gs.
Mr. Sargent (who offered two)—£500gs. and 660gs. respectively.
Mr. Augustus John, president of National Portrait Society—£225gs.

MANY WOUNDS OF MAN WHO HELPED

A story of an encounter with a sentry while guarding the North London railway bridge at Spring-place, Kentish Town, was told at Marylebone yesterday, when Henry Archer, a dealer, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment for obstructing Private Ison, of the National Reserve, in carrying out the orders of the military authority.

Private Ison said prisoner abused him and seized his bayonet. Witness said he fired on the ground in accordance with instructions to call the guard out and prisoner continued to struggle with him. He then called out a man who was passing to help him, and later he fired on the ground again.

Thomas Heath, of Walthamstow, said he was in the act of tripping the man up when the rifle went off a second time. The bullet passed through witness's thigh and splinters struck him in the legs and caused no fewer than twenty-eight wounds.

PARASOLS OBEY FASHION.

New Sunshades Pleated to Match New Style of Skirt.

ROSEBUD TRIMMINGS.

Pleated sunshades are now being sold in the West End of London. They are supposed to give the finishing touch to the costume with the pleated skirt.

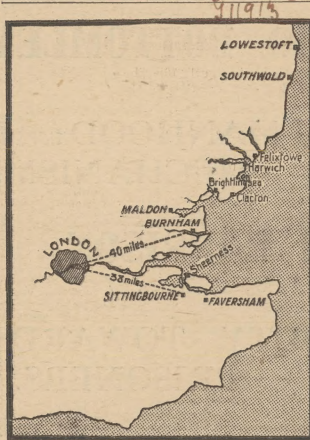
The fluffy, frilly sunshades of last year seem doomed to extinction.

Many of the new parasols—which are quite small—are of the magnie type—that is, striped black and white, white with a black border, black with a white border, or of black and white draughtboard pattern.

This year's parasol handles are quite long and tied up with ribbons.

Many of the new parasols have floral trimmings both inside and outside. Sometimes the trimmings consist of whole wreaths of rosebuds; in other cases there is only a single large rose or camellia.

Some of the new veils now being worn at the back of the hat reach down to the hem of the gown—an indication of the exaggerated effects obtainable with the new mode.



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AUSTRIAN PLOT ALLEGED.

The following important question will be addressed by Mr. Chancellor to the Under-Secretary of State for War on Tuesday:—

Whether he has any information showing that 200 men belonging to one cavalry regiment became seriously ill with symptoms of blood poisoning after inoculation against typhoid; whether two or three of them died; and whether the two doctors who performed the inoculation were, on inquiry, found to be Austrians, tried by court-martial, and sentenced to penal servitude.

Lord Ronaldsday will ask Mr. Churchill if any naval action has taken place recently in the neighbourhood of the Norwegian coast.

TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

Cloudy to fair or fine; slight local showers; moderate temperature.



When Sergeant Bath (of the Royal Field Artillery) was married at St. Stephen's, St. John's Wood, six horses drew the bridal carriage to the church. Soldiers acted as postillions and the sergeant-major as outrider.

MURDERED ENGLISHMAN.

Government's Protest Against German Officer's Wanton Shooting of Civilian.

ASSASSIN BECOMES CAPTAIN.

The murder in a German train of Mr. Henry Hadley, a British subject, by a Prussian officer named Nicolay, on August 3, while Mr. Hadley was travelling to England, has been the subject of inquiry by the British Foreign Office through the American Ambassador.

A statement of the crime has been furnished by the German Government.

In reply the British Government, according to a Foreign Office statement issued last night, have "entered the strongest possible protest against the action of Captain Nicolay."

The British subject, teacher of languages, Henry Hadley, behaved most suspiciously, and was arrested during his trip in the corridor train from Berlin, leaving at 1.25 p.m. to Cologne on the 3rd August, 1914, in company of his housekeeper, Mrs. Prater.

While in the dining-car Hadley had acted in a conspicuous and impolite manner, and also had an excited dispute with a waiter.

Finally, he made, according to the conductor's statement, on oath, ironical remarks and gestures regarding passing officers.

Then, according to the German statement, the conductor drew the attention of First Lieutenant Nicolay to Mr. Hadley, who was asked by him that he could not leave the train.

"As Hadley assumed an aggressive attitude, First Lieutenant Nicolay called 'Hands up!' several times, in German and English."

Hadley paid no attention, but raised his stick, so that First Lieutenant Nicolay was led to expect an actual attack, and he called again, "Hands up or I shall shoot." Hadley thereupon tumbled with his hands under his waistcoat, saying that he was a British subject.

As First Lieutenant Nicolay believed that the stranger intended to bring out a weapon and use it against him, he fired at him, in order to be first.

Mr. Hadley died on August 5 as the result of the bullet wound, and, adds the statement, "Captain Nicolay, as he now is, was court-martialled for killing him, but the proceedings were discontinued upon the completion of the investigation of the case."

HERO PORTER'S JUMP.

Edward Medal for Man Who Saved Woman Under Train—Gallantry in Gas Main.

Two little stories of heroism that gained the King's award were told in last night's *Gazette*. The Edward Medal of the Second Class has been awarded to John George Hinge and David Humphreys.

Hinge on October 1 was, with another man, engaged at Feltham Boral Institution in removing an obstruction in a gas main, when an explosion occurred.

After rescuing his companion and, although badly burned, Hinge cut off the gas pressure, thereby preventing the possibility of further explosions.

Humphreys, a railway porter, at Merton, jumped to the rescue of a woman who in a fit of epilepsy, on December 8 last, fell in front of a train approaching that station at a speed of fifteen miles an hour.

When Humphreys reached the woman the train was only twenty yards away, and, being unable to remove her, he held her down between the rails until the train came to a standstill, the engine and one of the wagons passing over them. Humphreys thus saved the woman's life at great risk to himself.

PREMIER'S SPEECH TO TYNESIDERS.

Mr. Asquith, who is to address a meeting of the Tynesiders soldiers of industry in the Palace Theatre, Newcastle, on Tuesday, will, it is stated, arrive during the afternoon.

The doors of the theatre will be opened at 6 p.m. and the meeting will begin at 7.30.

STORY OF A BATH IN DEAD BRIDES CASE.

Herne Bay Vendor Says Smith Never Paid Him.

WIFE'S VISIT TO DOCTOR.

Evidence of the "sale" of a bath to George Smith, the man accused of the murder of three "wives" who were found dead in their baths, was given yesterday at Bow-street Police Court.

The vendor said that Smith did not pay him for the bath, and after his wife's death witness fetched it away, as Smith said he was going away and had no further use for it.

Mr. Montague Shearman now appeared on behalf of Smith, who was again remanded.

HOW BODY WAS FOUND.

Adolphus Hill, ironmonger, of Herne Bay, stated that about July 6 prisoner called at his shop and made inquiries about a bath witness had for sale. Two days after Mrs. Williams called and made an offer of 37s. 6d., which he accepted.

On or about July 14 witness learned of the death of Mrs. Williams, and a few days after that prisoner called and asked him to take the bath back again. Prisoner said he was leaving the neighbourhood and would have no further use for it.

What took place?—I allowed him the same money as he gave me for it. It was not paid for. He owed me the money. I sent for Jack again.

He had the use of it for nothing, and you delivered it and fetched it away. Yes. (Laughter.) This was the first outbreak of laughter in the court since the case began.

Dr. Frank Austin French, the Herne Bay practitioner who was called to see Mrs. Williams just after her death, recognised the prisoner, whom he knew as Mr. Williams.

STORY OF A FIT.

Witness first saw Mrs. Williams as a patient on the Tuesday before her death. Mr. Williams said his wife had suffered from headache. "From what he said to me he led me to think it was epilepsy," added the doctor.

He said she had a fit and had lost consciousness. Witness asked him if there were any movements of the limbs, and he said "Yes" and described them.

Counsel: What sort of movements did he say?—Twitching—I think that was the word he used—that her lips twitched and she foamed about the mouth.

Further questioned, witness said that Mrs. Williams told him she did not remember anything, and all he could get out of her was that she had had a headache.

The witness added: "Although I found very slight symptoms to favour epilepsy, I gave her bromide mixture as a sedative."

The next time he saw prisoner was about 1.30 on the morning of the following Friday, when Smith called at his surgery and told him that his wife had had another fit. Witness went to the house, where he found the woman sitting up in bed.

Mr. Bodkin: What was her condition?—The condition of a person just awakened from a sleep.

"TOO HEAVY TO LIFT." "The next morning," continued witness, "while I was dressing her, she was in a bad way. It read: 'Can you come at once? I am afraid my wife is dead.'" He went and saw the body in the bath.

Mr. Bodkin: In what position?—It was lying face upwards on its back.

And the legs, how were they?—The toes were out of the bath.

What were they resting on?

After a lengthy pause witness said they were resting on the end of the bath.

"Bring the bath in again," Mr. Bodkin asked. The bath was brought in and the witness explained that the feet were against the end of the bath.

Mr. Bodkin: Was there anything to prevent them slipping down?—Yes; I think the position of the body prevented them from slipping down. I think the body would have to be pulled up by the shoulders to allow the feet to come in.

Did the prisoner give you any account of what had occurred?—Yes, he said he went out about half past seven to get some fish and on his return he found his wife in the bath. I asked him if he had tried to get the body out of the water and he said he had tried to lift it from the bath but had found it too heavy.

Counsel next asked the witness why he did not tell the coroner that prisoner said the body was too heavy for him to lift out of the bath.

Dr. French replied that he did not know whether he told the coroner or not, adding: "I had no desire to conceal anything."

You attributed death to drowning. Did you think also she had an epileptic fit?—Yes, and I told the coroner so.

TO SEE JUSTICE DONE.

The Army Council, it was announced last night, have approved the formation of a committee to deal with those applications of soldiers' dependants for separation allowances in which the pension authorities differ in their conclusions as to the merit of the case, and the applicants were dependent on the soldiers.

The committee includes the Right Hon. W. H. Dickinson, M.P., and Mrs. Granville Streetfield.

BETTER AND BRIGHTER THAN EVER: "SUNDAY PICTORIAL" No. 6 TO-MORROW

TAUBE RAID ON KENT AND ANOTHER ZEPPELIN ATTACK ON EAST COAST

German Airman Circles Canterbury and Drops Bombs on Faversham.

BLACKBIRD AND AN OLD HEN KILLED.

Airship Over East Anglia Drops Bomb Which Fires Lowestoft Timber Yard.

NO PERSON INJURED, DESPITE WASTE OF EXPLOSIVES.

Two air raids on England were made yesterday. They were—

Zepplins raided east coast. Taube raided Kent.

Yesterday afternoon's attack by a Taube on the North Kent coast towns followed the East Anglian raid by Zepplins in the small hours. It is believed that two, if not three, airships took part in the east coast attack.

A number of bombs were dropped, with the following trifling results:—

LOWESTOFT.—Three bombs. Timber yard set on fire. Three horses killed.

SOUTHWOLD.—Several bombs. Railway truck set on fire, workshops and cottages damaged. A hen killed.

MALDON.—House struck, but little damage done. When a Taube appeared over Faversham in the afternoon, flying from the direction of Deal, several bombs were dropped on Faversham, but no damage is reported. Canterbury was also visited by the raider.

GERMAN AIRCRAFT OVER CANTERBURY.

Machine Seen in Kent at Great Speed Flying in Direction of Dover.

Kent has been the scene of the latest air raid. Shortly after midday yesterday an enemy aircraft passed over Faversham, Kent.

As far as is at present known, one bomb was dropped. It fell in Oxford-road, near London-road. No damage was done.

Faversham is about ten miles from Sheerness, nine miles from Canterbury, and fifty-two miles from London.

An Exchange telegram from Sittingbourne says:—

Just after twelve o'clock a German Taube flew over the district, coming from the direction of Deal.

First of all it flew over Faversham, where shots were fired at it.

TWO BOMBS DROPPED.

The aeroplane dropped two bombs on the way without, so far as is at present known, doing any damage.

When the aeroplane reached Sittingbourne it was flying at a great height. It then turned inland.

It returned again, flying at a much lower altitude.

One bomb was dropped near the town, falling in an orchard and doing no damage.

It made a hole three feet deep, knocking off some branches of a fruit tree and killing a blackbird.

When the aeroplane returned a second time it was only about 600ft. up, and was easily visible.

Another bomb was dropped in a chalk quarry without doing any damage.

Then the Taube seemed to make a semi-circular movement, going off in the direction from which it had come.

LOOKING FOR THE CATHEDRAL?

Two aircraft, it is also reported, passed over Canterbury.

The first flew over at 12.30 p.m., but was too high to be recognised as either British or German.

The second, which passed over the city at 12.50, was unmistakably a German aeroplane and sailed very low.

No bombs were dropped, and the machine was off at a great speed in the direction of Dover.

The same craft passed over the city again about three-quarters of an hour later and was flying toward the north-east.

Inquiries made at various points along the Kent coast show that no enemy aircraft were seen at Whitstable, Herne Bay, Margate, Broadstairs or Ramsgate.

ZEPPELIN RAID ON ESSEX.

The Zeppelin raid over East Anglia early yesterday morning appears to have been as miserable a fiasco as the attack made on the Northumberland coast on Wednesday night.

"No human life was lost, the enemy's total 'bag' being three shores and one old hen killed."

It is thought possible that two Zeppelins took part in the raid. Here are the times at which the aircraft was seen:—

12.15 a.m.—Raider passed over Southminster. 12.20 a.m.—Maldon (Essex) and Heybridge attacked. About a dozen bombs dropped. One old hen killed.

12.35 a.m.—Southwold attacked with incendiary bombs. Military hospital escaped damage. Railway truck set on fire.

12.50 a.m.—Raider sighted at Harwich. 1.15 a.m.—Lowestoft attacked. Three bombs dropped. Timber yard fired. Houses damaged. Three horses killed in stables. One woman reported injured.

2-2.5 a.m.—Raider seen at Gorleston and Cromer. At Southwold bombs were dropped close to Henham Hall, the residence of the Earl and Countess of Stradbroke, which is being used as a hospital for wounded soldiers.

An airship is also reported to have been seen at Burnham-on-Crouch, Clacton, Wells (Norfolk) and several East Anglian villages.

SEEMED TO SHAKE WHOLE TOWN.

The Zeppelin came in from the sea to Lowestoft, and the thud of the engines was distinctly heard by many residents.

There were three very loud explosions, which seemed to shake the whole town.

One bomb dropped in a timber yard, and in a few minutes the timber was ablaze.

A horse in a stable near by was killed and two other horses in another stable shared the same fate.

Windows were shattered in all directions. Crowds flocked to the scene of the fire but were kept back by bluejackets and soldiers.

After circling over the docks and harbour, the Zeppelin proceeded out to sea.

BOMBS NEAR HOSPITAL.

The aircraft was seen approaching Southwold from a southerly direction and passed directly over the town until it reached the



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vicinity of Henham Hall, where it is reported that three bombs were dropped.

The hall, the residence of the Countess of Stradbroke, has since the commencement of the war been converted into a hospital.

After this the Zeppelin turned again until directly over the town, and one bomb fell on a railway truck and set it on fire. It was an incendiary bomb and passed through the bottom of the truck.

The bombs dropped at Maldon did little damage, although three or four were of an inflammable type.

A policeman heard the approach of the aircraft some twenty minutes before it circled the town.

Warning was given, but there was no panic. An old hen was killed!

An airship, which seemed to be one of the same type, was seen from the cliffs at Gorleston at 2 a.m.

It was flying exceedingly low, and a resident who saw it declared that he could have hit it with a revolver shot. The airship came in from the sea, circled over the southern part of Gorleston, and left in an easterly direction.

SHOTS AT SHEERNESS.

Shortly before 1 p.m. yesterday a German aeroplane passed over Sheerness.

It was fired at by anti-aircraft guns. The machine, which was a biplane, dipped after being fired and a cheer rose from the spectators. The machine, however, ascended again and travelled at a high speed across Sheppey in the direction of the sea.

No bombs fell on Sheerness, and as far as is known no bombs were dropped anywhere in Sheppey.

GREAT EVENTS EXPECTED ON EASTERN FRONT.

No Lack of Evidence That the Germans Are Weakening.

PARIS, April 16.—M. Ludovic Naudeau telegraphs from Warsaw to the Journal that great events are likely to occur on the eastern front, and these will in all probability take place within the next two or three weeks.

It will then be seen that certain movements which have been widely reported may merely turn out to be feints and that the real and important objective is entirely removed from the various places that have been mentioned.

In this connection it is still asked if the Germans will regard the Carpathians as a theatre of secondary importance, and aid the Austrians with overwhelming forces in Poland.

But the question arises as to whether the Germans will have the physical and moral forces to carry out these audacious tactics. There is no lack of evidence that the Germans are weakening.

Many Russian officers judge, by the physical and moral condition of the Germans compared with the energy they displayed during the first months of the conflict, that the German and Austrian resistance could not be continued much longer.—Exchange Special.

GERMAN ADVANCE FOILED.

PETROGRAD, April 15.—A dispatch from Headquarters issued to-night says:—

"Near Ossowiec yesterday the enemy unsuccessfully attempted to advance towards our front. In the direction of Miawa engagements between advanced detachments turned in our favour."

On the left bank of the Bura our advanced detachments occupied the estate of Kunczin, in the region of Sochaczew.

In the Carpathians we made a little progress in the direction of the Uszok Pass, where we captured 200 prisoners.

"We repulsed enemy attacks on the heights to the south of the village of Volossate, near Yaworow and south of Kozioivka."—Reuter.

PETROGRAD, April 16.—The Germans are polling all the peaceable inhabitants from both banks of the Vistula and are mining the latter actively, furnishing them with electric mines. It appears that the retreat of the Germans is imminent.—Reuter.

VICTORY THE FRENCH WON AT LES EPARGES.

"Our Triumph Is Assured—It Has Already Commenced," Says Official Report.

A summary of the official report of the victory at Les Eparges, says a Central News Paris message, states that it was similar in the certainty of the methods employed and the intensity of the offensive to the encounter at Hartmannswierkopf, while it was more important on account of the number of the effective force and of the resources utilised by the Germans.

The better part of a division, five battalions of Mitrailleurs, machine guns and bomb-throwers defended Les Eparges.

The French found upon officers who were made prisoners orders requiring them to hold the crest at all costs.

The German General Staff supplied the maximum force for resistance, and the German defence was magnificent.

The report concludes: "For two months the Germans overlooked us; henceforth we overlook them."

They obtained this result, inflicting losses double those sustained by us, showing the growing superiority of our army. We are attacking and they are defending.

"Our triumph is assured. It has already commenced."

TAUBE BROUGHT DOWN.

PARIS, April 16.—There has been no fresh action on the front since yesterday evening's communiqué.

Our artillery brought down yesterday afternoon an aeroplane, which fell opposite the English lines, behind the German trenches to the north of Ypres.—Central News.

"NOTHING TO REPORT."

There was no communiqué from Sir John French yesterday, as there was "nothing to report."

The Berlin official communiqué, says the Central News, stated yesterday that "some British torpedo-boats participated on Thursday in artillery fire against Ostend and Newport, but were soon silenced."

NO PEACE WITHOUT JUSTICE.

ROME, April 16.—The prayers for peace which the Pope has recommended for recital during May have evoked outspoken statements from members of the French clergy, including several bishops, who have come to Rome to inform the Holy See of the sentiments of the French people.

The Bishops have frankly declared that the French, including the clergy, cannot conceive of a peace prayer for peace unless it embodies a petition for the triumph of justice and right and cannot imagine the possibility of laying down arms until the invader has been driven from the Belgian and French territory which he has trampled upon in the most unchristian manner imaginable.—Reuter.

SEA PIRATES' WAR ON NEUTRAL SHIPS.

Swedish Steamer Sunk, Her Captain Asserting That She Was Torpedoed.

TWO WOMEN ON BOARD.

Neutral ships are receiving no mercy at the hands of the German sea pirates.

After the torpedoing of the Dutch steamer Katwijk comes news of the sinking of the Swedish steamer Folke, which was blown up off Peterhead.

It is not yet definitely established whether she struck a mine or was torpedoed, but her captain inclines to the latter belief, for just before the explosion he heard a noise like that of a motor-engine.

14 HOURS IN OPEN BOAT.

All seventeen members of the crew of the Swedish steamer Folke, which sank after striking a mine or being torpedoed, twenty miles off Peterhead, on the Aberdeenshire coast, on Wednesday night, have been landed at Aberdeen.

The local trawler, Fisher Prince, brought eight of the rescued crew into Aberdeen late at night, and yesterday the Fraserburgh trawler, North Cape, landed the other nine.

Mr. Petersen, the mate of the Folke, said the vessel was bound from Stavanger to London with pit props.

All went well until ten o'clock on Wednesday evening, when there was a loud explosion aft. The crew of seven men, including two women, took to two small boats, which were fully provisioned and ready for launching.

The members of the crew picked up by the Fisher Prince were fourteen and a half hours in an open boat.

Captain Ohlsson said he believed the vessel was torpedoed, as just before the explosion he heard the noise of a motor engine from some craft making away from the Folke.

DUTCH STEAMER'S FATE.

AMSTERDAM, April 16.—The Nieuwe Rotterdamse Courant reports that the German Government is making an inquiry into the circumstances of the torpedoing of the Dutch steamer Katwijk.

The Marconi operator of the Nord Hinder Lighthouse declares that two hours before the Katwijk was torpedoed he saw a German submarine in the vicinity.

CAT-O'-NINE TAILS USED ON GERMAN SOLDIERS.

Prussian Officers Who Act More Like Slave Drivers Than Leaders.

"The discipline is principally that of fear, the men being in positive terror of their officers, who behave with a kind of sinister truculence more befitting slave drivers than leaders of men."

"This is borne out by the use of the cat-o'-nine-tails, which is well established, one of these implements having been captured by us near Neuve Chapelle."

That is what "Eye-Witness" has to say about the Germans in his latest account. He adds:—

"An actual example of such conduct was given by one prisoner, which is most enlightening. A party of some twenty men were engaged in digging trenches, when the subaltern in charge suddenly produced a revolver and declared that he would blow out the brains of the first idle man whom he saw."

The strength of the German war machine, "Eye-Witness" hints out, lies in the fact that the system of bullying and the exercise of brute force has been accepted for years.

The last of April was not allowed to pass without one practical joke being played on the enemy. An airman flying over the Lille Aerodrome dropped a football.

It fell slowly through the air, and the Germans could be seen hurrying from all directions to take cover from what they evidently thought was a bomb.

That it bounced to an enormous height from the ground without exploding was probably taken to be due to a "delay action" fuse, for it was not till the ball finally came to rest that they emerged from their shelters to examine it.

On it was written: "April Fool. Got strafed England."

DON'T MISS TO-MORROW'S SUNDAY PICTORIAL

The Best Sunday Picture Newspaper

DRESSMAKER GETS DAMAGES.

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Miss Rose Drazzy, a Brixton dressmaker, who was awarded £60 damages yesterday for breach of promise against Mr. A. W. F. Hubbard (in circle). "It is not a humorous case," said her counsel.

A "DISCOVERY" FOR THE NEW GAIETY PIECE.

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Miss Haidee de Rance, who will appear in the new Gaiety piece called "To-night's the night." Miss de Rance, who began to learn the violin when she was four years old, went on the stage at six. Her ambition has always been to play in musical comedy.—(Daily Mirror photograph.)

A "JOLLY'S" TWINS WHOSE FATHER IS AT SEA.

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The twin sons of Private Mark Few, of the Royal Marines. For months past he has been on patrol work on the Atlantic, and has not seen his boys. Both the father and the ship's crew want to see a photograph of these bonny little fellows.—(Daily Mirror photograph.)

GIRL STICKS BILLS.

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Girl porter at Honor Oak, who is quite an expert billposter. Several women are now employed at this station, but they only do light work.

LORD ROSEBERY REVIEWS HIS BANTAMS AT EDINBURGH.

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The men march past Lord Rosebery who—



—stood bareheaded on the steps.

The 17th Royal Scots, who are known as "the Rosebery Bantams," were reviewed at Edinburgh by Lord Rosebery. Speaking at a luncheon which followed his lordship said he had received a letter from Lord Kitchener which began: "If anybody says I am opposed to bantams, he is a liar." Anything more concise or expressive as a renunciation of heresy I cannot conceive, was Lord Rosebery's comment.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 1915.

DAFFODIL DISTRACTION.

THERE NEED apparently be no fear that our people at home should find themselves in a disposition to "refrain" when "God sends a cheerful hour." Symptoms of a readiness to throw off the burden of the war in a little vulgar relaxation have been detected in the crowds that besieged Westminster during a recent "quiet" wedding—myriads of battling ladies, wielding elbow, fist and hat-pin for a sight of the celebrated. And we have, as usual, our troops of the out-of-work (in a voluntary sense) near Bow-street, eager for new sensation from the latest repugnant case. To read and hear of these things is again to be reminded that it wants much more than a war, however vast, to divert the continued flow of ordinary life, seeking its pleasures where it can. The reminder may embolden us to suggest yet other amusements, whereby a perhaps more wholesome distraction may be gained; by those especially whom this long winter's work has more or less enclosed within walls, and confined in a circle of expectation.

Observe, for instance, that the ingenious underground railways—excellent schools for rising landscape painters—are already inviting us to the daffodil fields—summoning us to oblivion amongst blue-bells—promising primroses to the city-wearied people when the next fine day comes. It is well to accept that invitation. Those brides in those baths have indeed prior claims, but shall we remember, in days to come, the choked police court with a pleasure at all to be compared with our thoughts of a day at Hampton Court when the best of the bulbs flowered there? A wedding is all very well for the moment, like champagne. But how swiftly its effects pass!—how soon does the memory of having seen a Cabinet Minister in a new top hat fade from the soul, or leave it dull and unrejoicing; whereas, as you know, the poet latent even in people who can endure fashionable weddings can easily store, from a glimpse of growing flowers, refreshment for the inevitably hard days now at hand.

And then my heart with pleasure fills
And dances with the daffodils.

Could you say the same of that top hat and that Cabinet Minister?
"Dear man!" he looked as if a daffodil or two would do him no harm that day. And even a thought of suburban Kew, or Richmond might make Bow-street seem irrelevant to his enthusiasts. Really, as a "cheerful hour," in which to "refrain" from the war, we recommend daffodils before Bow-street.

But you may say: "Daffodils grow every year. A really crushed wedding comes so seldom."

Well, you never know. A few more wars and world devastations, and flowers may be as rare as certain of the rarest birds that have been industriously thinned out by the gun. On the whole, it is wise to make the most of the daffodils while we have them.

W. M.

THE TWO FORCES.

The unseen powers have been with me
And made this haunted ground.
I cannot tell what forms they be,
Nor what the music means to me,
Their lonely harp-strings sound.

There is a song of long ago
That tells of Love and Death,
I know not how its measures flow
And have forgot if joy or woe
Is in its fragrant breath.

Within the gleam of yonder star
By windy waste and wild,
When Will o' the Wisp has led me far
I have been as the spirits are—
Light-hearted as a child.

So I fare forth new worlds to see
And starry high ways prove,
The song forgotten yet may be
A joined, restless ecstasy
That is both Death and Love.

MABEL LEIGH.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

When the million applaud you, seriously ask yourself what harm you have done—when they censure you, what good.—*Colton.*

LOOKING THROUGH "THE MIRROR."

THE BEST DRINKS.

PURE COLD WATER is the only perfect thirst quencher in the world. If you do anything with it—even heating it—you endanger this property which it possesses. It must be pure, and it must be cold.

But, as many of us live under artificial conditions, and cannot hope to attain the natural vigour and pristine health, say, of a seagull, we require a stimulant occasionally.

Without enlarging the matter too much, I will simply mention the following two drinks, which are both invigorating and refreshing, and leave no regrets behind—unless deliberately abused:—
For Abstainers—Tea, of really good quality, especially for the working man, who never makes a greater mistake than when he buys cheap tea. The price of tea that is worth drinking is

years absences from work from all causes have averaged very much less than 1 per cent. Indeed, they have usually been less than .5 per cent. Authorities have recently been quoted showing that the loss in some works is as much as 15 per cent. to 25 per cent. Our own excellent results we attribute entirely to our rule to employ only total abstainers.

We have found that a total abstainer is equally dependable in times of stress like the present, and his record of overtime work is most satisfactory. Our men make the most of their money and of their leisure. They are contented, and take an intelligent interest in their work.

Appeals have been made to clergymen to abstain during the war from all intemperance, an example to other people. If the Government does not see its way to enforce total prohibition immediately, may I suggest to em-

BRITISH HOMES.

Effects of the Great War Upon Our Domestic Life.

MAINLY WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

I DISCERN one probable effect of the war upon our home life in Great Britain.

Great Britain will be an island populated mainly with women and children. All the men will be killed or wounded. Will this materially benefit family life?
RICHMOND.

FRENCH AND ENGLISH.

WE BRITISH have never been a home-loving people to the same degree as the French are. A French family is the most united family it is possible to see.

We can show nothing of the same kind in England. Here our young people are eager to get away from the home.

What young man cares to have his mother living with him after he has married? In the so-called working classes, how few young men ever take the trouble to send money home once they are "on their own." We don't do these things, and nobody blames us if we don't.

A Frenchman, on the other hand, continues to love and cherish his mother till the end of her days. She indeed takes precedence over his wife, in his reverence and affection. You do not hear in France the silly joking about the mother-in-law that has long been proverbial in this country. Moreover, children are there much more submissive to their parents than they are here.

In fact, I agree with the old saying in regard to the home—"The English have the word and the French have the thing."
DORKING. H. C. E.

'WHERE THE HEART IS.'
There is an ancient, concise and touching maxim—
"This home where the heart is!"
R.

FEWER AMUSEMENTS?

I DO NOT KNOW in what sense it is probable that the war will assist family life. It is certain enough for one thing, however, that it will greatly diminish the family's financial resources. That means that there will be much less money for amusements.

According to many of your correspondents, it is amusements that destroy family life.

I can only say that, in my own family, it is rather the quinquills, the hard work and the dreariness that tend to separate us.

When there is a question of a jolly party together we are all at one. Happiness and pleasure unite us all. Great trouble may do so also. But little tiresome worries have no other effect than to bring dissension into family life.
ONE OF NINE.
Cromwell-road, S.W.

THE QUIET EVENING.

THESE QUIET evenings at home! Aren't they rather idealised by your correspondent, "A. A.?" I had one of them recently. Mother knitted, of course, and Dad slept, with his mouth very wide open.

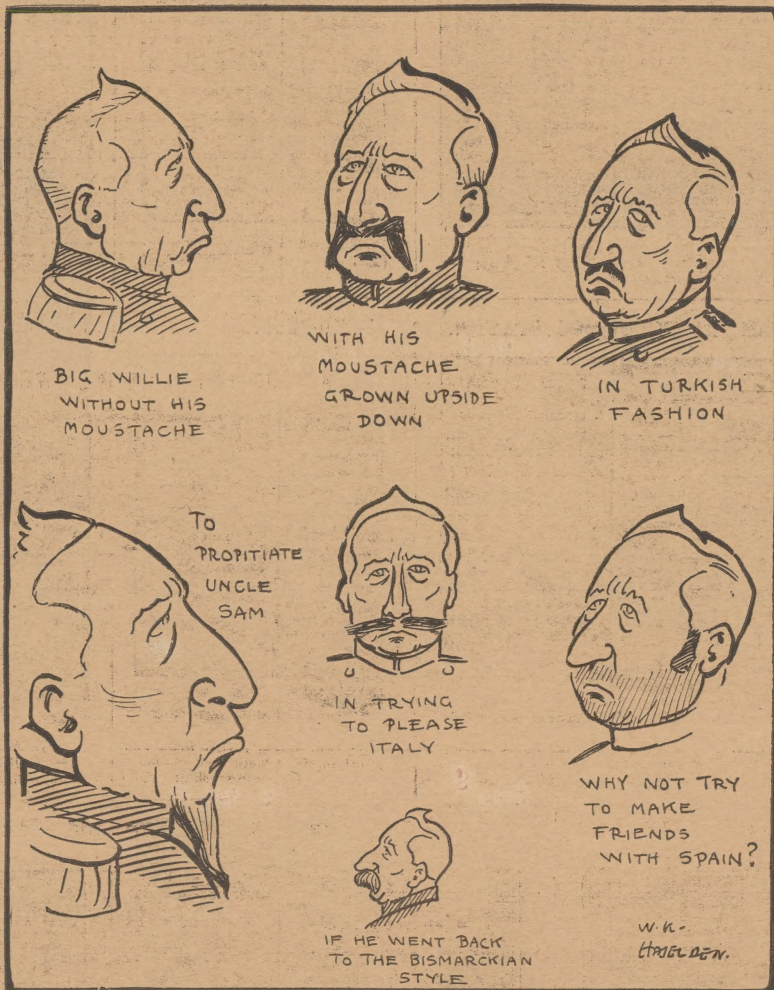
Mother, seeing this, remarked: "Haden't we better wake your father; he looks so very plain." We discussed it for some time. Has "A. A." a better experience of his quiet evenings at home? Too YOUNG FOR IT.
Surbiton.

IN MY GARDEN.

APRIL 16.—It is delightful to have a little herb garden; now is a good time to set the plants. The position for herbs should be a warm and sunny one, and it is wise to make the soil fairly light and sandy.

Lavender is popular with everyone, but it is a pity rosemary is not often seen. Then there are rue, sage, hyssop, the cotton lavender (santolina), tarragon, wormwood and southernwood. There are many valuable kinds of herbs, the common species being the one used for flavouring.
E. F. T.

BIG WILLIE'S WAR WITH HIS MOUSTACHE.



Our friends the rumourists from the front have recently reported that the Kaiser's latest move to win the war has been to shave off his moustache. Perhaps it would be better if he adapted it to new occasions.—(By Mr. W. K. Haselden.)

now about 2s. 3d. or 2s. 6d. Tea, if properly made, is an innocent stimulant and a valuable sedative. But not if it is badly made. Have the pot thoroughly warmed—even the handle, if earthenware—the water really boiling, not singing, and stir the leaves round in the water for a minute. The tea is then ready to drink. Don't keep it standing.

For Non-Abstainers—English bitter beer, of medium strength, mixed with an equal quantity of lemonade. This makes a perfect blend and is an ideal drink, especially in summer. The tonic properties of the beer (that "something" which I am afraid has not yet been reached by any "temperance" drink) are not obliterated; and the lemonade militates against its intoxicating tendency. A man must be indeed wilful who would abuse this refreshing drink.

DORIS.

WE ARE a small engineering works, employing about 150 men, all of whom are professed total abstainers. Our records show that during the past five

years absences from work from all causes have averaged very much less than 1 per cent. Indeed, they have usually been less than .5 per cent. Authorities have recently been quoted showing that the loss in some works is as much as 15 per cent. to 25 per cent. Our own excellent results we attribute entirely to our rule to employ only total abstainers.

"FUSSY" TEA.

YOUR correspondent "Tea-drinker" tells us that it is a simple matter to make good tea by pouring boiling water on tea in a cold teapot; evidently never having heard the good old adage—

Unless the water boils,
And the teapot be hot,
A cup of good tea
Cannot be got.

I defy anyone to make tea properly in a cold pot. As to coffee, it is as easy to make as tea, but it must be made in a metal pot, very hot.
S.W. JOHN LOCK.

INDIANS' ALUMINIUM CUPS

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Preparing food for a party of Indian soldiers now in London. All the dishes and cups are of aluminium; as the men's religion prohibits the use of porcelain plates.

AGED 'SPECIAL'

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Mr. Robert Lawley, aged seventy-eight, who is a special constable at Burnham, Bucks.

NEW YORK MAKES WA

In Cabboard



Chic afternoon gown of taffeta and chiffon. "Absolutely irresistible," says the designer.

RUSSIAN ARMY OF OCCUPATION AT PRZEMYSL

9. 42 F



Russian soldiers who form part of the army of occupation at Przemyśl marching into their barracks. Notices in the Russian language are posted on the gateposts. There are also many other signs that the town is no longer Austrian.—(From a *Daily Mirror* photographer with the Russian Army.)

WATCHING AN AIR CHASE.

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French artillery officers watching a Taube being chased by one of the Allied airmen. The gun has been completely destroyed by a German shell.

A FINE MASCOT.

9. 324 F



The mascot of a Scottish regiment, who is as tall as his master when he stands up.

SPRINKLING SOLDIERS' HUTS.

9. 7309 F



Army huts in Wiltshire being sprinkled with a preparation called "Stoprot." The men employed on the work wear a special headdress, in which the soldier is much interested.

PARIS DRESSMAKERS.

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Victorian mode black satin dress with white embroidery and hat trimmed with pheasant quill.

TO THE FRONT

9-1914 H



Airman leaves England for the front. It is the easiest way of getting the machines across.

BEGAN TO ACT WHEN SIX

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Miss Haidee de Rance, who will appear in "To-night's the Night," the new Gaiety piece. She began to learn the violin at four years old, and went on the stage at six. —(Daily Mirror photograph.)

A "JOLLY'S" JOLLY TWINS.

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The twin sons of Private Mark Few (Royal Marines). He has been on patrol work in the Atlantic for some months, and has not seen his boys. —(Daily Mirror photograph.)

GIRL STICKS BILLS.

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Girl porter at Honor Oak, who is quite an expert billposter. Several women are now employed at this station as porters.

ARTISTS' ARTISTIC BRIDGE.

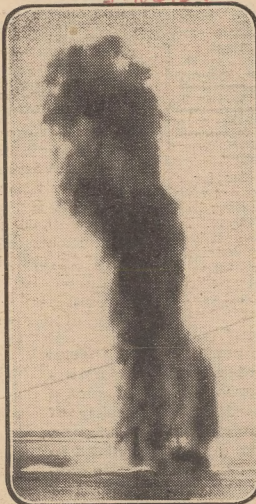
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Artists Rifles crossing a rustic bridge of their own construction. They are to be congratulated on building so picturesque a bridge, which is quite in keeping with the landscape. —(H. W. Nicholls.)

MINE EXPLODES.

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Exploding a mine in the Dardanelles. It was fired from the shore by electricity.

HENRY AINLEY IN A FILM.

9-1914 H



There is a very strong cast in the London film "Rupert of Hentzau." The picture shows Mr. Henry Ainley (clean-shaven) as Rudolf Rassendyl and Mr. Gerald Ames as Rupert.

GREYNESS CONQUERED BY LONDON SPECIALIST

Sensational Success of the New Discovery "Astol."

NATURE'S MOST BAFFLING HAIR PROBLEM SOLVED BY THE FAMOUS INVENTOR OF "HARLENE HAIR DRILL."

10,000 Laboratory Test Supplies of "Astol"—The Splendid Discovery Which Supersedes Dyes—Now Ready for Posting, Free of Charge.

THE HAIR PROBLEM that has baffled a century of scientists has been solved by a famous London Specialist.

In other words, Dyes are superseded for all time, and grey hair can now be restored to its *original colour* with remarkable ease.

The results in a great host of cases of men and women whose hair had grown grey from varying causes have shown that **this wonderful new discovery brings back speedily and permanently the lost natural colour.**

There have been in this wonderful number of cases, men and women in many varying stages of greyness, white hair, or faded colour and all have realised the splendid properties of the great discovery, "Astol," which to-day you are invited to test free.

To-day, as the result of the wonderful success of "Astol," every one of this large number of men and women, to their huge delight and surprise, have regained all the natural beauty, lustre and splendid colour of youthful healthy hair.

A "FREE-OF-COST" INVITATION TO 10,000 GREY PEOPLE.

So remarkable, indeed, have been the successes achieved by this already famous discovery—the invention of Mr. Edwards, the man who introduced "Harlene" Hair Drill to the nation—that he has decided to offer ten thousand free-of-cost supplies, with full directions, to ten thousand more grey-haired men and women.

In plain words, Mr. Edwards wants you, if you are grey-haired, to abandon any thoughts of harmful dyes and stains, and to actually test for yourself, at his own expense, the wonderful youth-renewing properties of his discovery, "Astol."

No matter whether your hair has lost its colour through worry, nervous shock, illness, or advancing years, Mr. Edwards is confident that "Astol" will restore its original natural hue in the shortest possible time. The free-of-cost supplies he will send out during the next ten days include a trial bottle of "Astol" and a specially written Treatise, giving full yet simple directions how to carry out speedily and conveniently the Scientific Treatment that takes so many years from the apparent age.

The discovery of "Astol" is due to the most careful scientific investigation and microscopic experiment. The result is that, no matter how grey white or faded your hair, you can speedily restore all its splendid colour of youth by natural means. Every grey-haired reader of "The Daily Mirror" can secure, entirely free of cost, a complete test supply of "Astol" by sending the Coupon on this page.

WHAT GREY OR WHITE HAIR MEANS TO YOU.

Consider for a moment just what grey, ageing hair means to you. To a woman it is a tragedy infinitely greater than a score of wrinkles; to a man it marks

in many cases the end of his business prestige.

IN SOCIAL LIFE.—In the ballroom and in the drawing-room no one is regarded as any longer young or attractive when grey hair has robbed them of their youthful and charming appearance. The sensitive man and woman rightly dread the whispered word of the tactless that proclaims all too loudly their grey-headed age to the world. Until Mr. Edwards' wonderful discovery of "Astol" the only alternative had been to use dyes or stains—only too painfully evident to all who would take the trouble to observe.

IN BUSINESS.—What greater business setback than to see the first grey or white hairs appearing—to read in that significant sign the death-knell of one's hopes and ideals; to see how all too surely it means the stigma of "too old at thirty or forty." Grey hair in business is also at once a challenge to the younger-looking, alert, and energetic man or woman to take the place you have won so hardily.

10,000 FREE-OF-COST "ASTOL" OUTFITS.

The explanation of the remarkable action of "Astol" lies in two significant facts:—

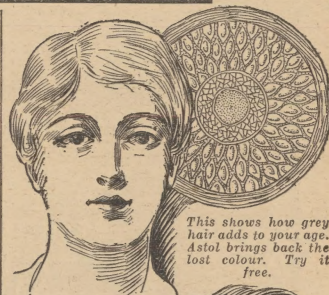
Firstly, that no matter what the cause of your grey hair—whether brought about by worry, illness, nervous shock, advancing years, or constitutional weakness—the **hair root is still there.**

Secondly, that "Astol"—a scientifically prepared chemical composition that is a direct stimulant to pigmentary action—possesses extraordinary penetrative powers, thus the colour cells of the hair, which are grouped around this papilla, are immediately stimulated to vigorous action.

Those who wish to take advantage of the test offer of "Astol" have only to fill in name and address on the application form at the foot of this page and post to Mr. Edwards, with 2d. stamps for postage. By return will be sent:—

1. A Trial Bottle of "Astol" for grey hair. This supply is quite sufficient to start the unique natural colour restoration process that will make so wonderful a difference to your appearance.
2. A Gratis Copy of Mr. Edwards' famous book, "Good News for the Grey Haired." This book tells all about "Astol" and exactly how to apply it.

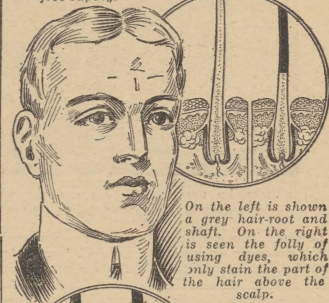
After you have experienced the delight of seeing your grey hairs beginning to regain their former colour and lustre with a tenfold beauty and attraction you can always obtain further supplies of "Astol" from any chemist at 2s. 9d. and 4s. 6d. a bottle, or direct, post free, on remittance, from the Edwards "Harlene" Co., 20-26, Lamb's Conduit-street, London, W.C. Carriage extra on foreign orders. Cheques and P.O.'s should be crossed.



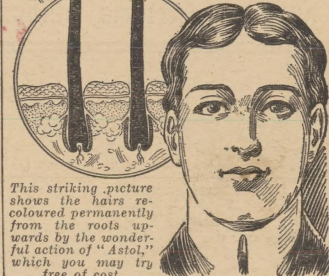
This shows how grey hair adds to your age. Astol brings back the lost colour. Try it free.



How "Astol" invigorates and recolors the hair-cells. A charming, youthful attraction will be the result of sending the coupon below for the free supply.



On the left is shown a grey hair-root and shaft. On the right is seen the folly of using dyes, which only stain the part of the hair above the scalp.



This striking picture shows the hairs recoloured permanently from the roots upwards by the wonderful action of "Astol," which you may try free of cost.

TO ALL WHO ARE GREY-HAIRED.

IF YOU DESIRE ONCE MORE THE SUPREME ATTRACTIVENESS AND DISTINCTION OF YOUTH THAT YOUR GREY HAIRS HAVE DRIVEN AWAY, YOU NEED NOT HESITATE A MOMENT IN SENDING THE COUPON ON THIS PAGE FOR A TEST SUPPLY OF "ASTOL," THE NATURAL COLOUR-RESTORING SCIENTIFIC PREPARATION.

The posting of this Special Invitation Coupon secures for you at once a laboratory test supply of "Astol" by return of post. Thus you are enabled to make a full test of the wonderful colour-restoring properties of "Astol" upon your own grey hair.

POST THIS LABORATORY TEST COUPON TO-DAY.

To EDWARDS HARLENE CO., 20-26, Lamb's Conduit St., London, W.C.
Dear Sirs,—Please send me free of charge a Laboratory Test Supply of "Astol" with full directions. I enclose 2d. stamps for postage to any part of the world. (Foreign stamps accepted.)

NAME

ADDRESS

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THIS MORNING'S GOSSIP



Mr. H. C. Hoover.

that these remarkable results are largely due to the administrative genius of Mr. H. C. Hoover, who is at the head of the work.

Careers in Many Lands.

Mr. Hoover is a mining engineer by profession, whose speciality has been the conversion of great mining enterprises from failure to brilliant success. In this capacity his name is known in more countries than I could mention here; Burmah, West Australia, China and California being only a few among many. He is, of course, an American by birth.

Sightless Heroes.

I paid a visit the other day to St. Dunstan's Lodge, that magnificent mansion in Regent's Park which has been lent by Mr. Otto Kahn, the American millionaire, as a home for soldiers who have had the cruel luck to lose their sight in the war. As it happened, there was a concert going on—one of the strangest concerts I have ever attended.

Sterling Pluck.

George Robey was singing, and it was hard to believe those pathetic rows of soldiers could not see his well-known facial play and his inimitable gestures, for little gusts of laughter came from them at just the right moments.

"Till the Boys Come Home."

Miss Constance Drever also sang, and she was quite upset by her experience. But the sightless soldier lads themselves were as jolly as sandboys, and at the finish they all joined heartily together in singing "Till the Boys Come Home."

Spring Has Come—for the Moment.

Days like yesterday make even the most prosaic of us see some sense in Browning's lines, "Oh to be in England now that April's there." It really was a glorious foretaste of summer, and the first "open taxicab" day of the year. Did you notice it? In Piccadilly just before lunchtime I counted the taxicabs for a few minutes. Three out of five had the tops down.

How the Barbers Knew.

My barber told me that it was a summer day, too. His way of judging it was by the number of "shampoos." He had had three times as many customers to shampoo yesterday morning as he had had since last autumn, he said.

Why? How? Who?

But lest I should doubt the sun, the thermometer, or the necessity of my overcoat, I met three valiant souls in straw hats, so I knew the winter of our discontent was past—for the moment. But I wonder, as I do every year, who are these brave pioneers who first burst forth into straw hats? Why do they do it? Do they feel spring-like or are they in the pay of the straw-hatters?

Descended from "La Belle Sauvage."

Mr. Clement Rolfe Ingleby, only son of that picturesque and interesting personality Mr. Holcombe Ingleby, who was married yesterday to Miss Muriel Nordheimer, is, as his second name denotes, a connection of the Rolfes of Heacham, Norfolk. One of them was John Rolfe, the hero of Longfellow's famous poem, and husband of the Indian Princess Pocahontas—the beautiful savage—who gives her name to that Ludgate-hill cul-de-sac La Belle Sauvage-yard.

A Famous Vine.

Mr. Holcombe Ingleby, the bridegroom's father, is the member for Lynn, where he defeated Mr. Gibson Bowles. He is well known as a golfer, and a founder of the Royal West Norfolk Club at Brancaster. The famous garden and estate of Valentines at Ilford, the home of the celebrated black Hamburg vine from which that at Hampton Court was grown, is Mr. Holcombe Ingleby's property.

Zepps and Taubes.

One of these days the German airmen who take flying trips to England will hurt somebody if they are not careful.

The "Sunday Pictorial's" War Pictures.

The editor of the *Sunday Pictorial* has a wonderfully happy knack of getting hold of striking war pictures. Among those that you will see in your *Sunday Pictorial* to-morrow is a unique picture of the torpedoing of a German vessel that was caught carrying arms and ammunition for the enemy. I have seen some wonderful pictures in my time, but I think this is certainly one of the most effective.

To-day's Events in Tomorrow's Paper.

The *Sunday Pictorial* has other splendid war pictures, and in these stirring times when Zeppelins are so active anything may happen between now and to-morrow morning. But you may be sure that anything that may happen to-day and is "photographable" will be photographed for the *Sunday Pictorial*, and you will see it at your breakfast table to-morrow if you are wise—and order your copy to-day.

Khaki is Officially Unknown.

Apparently there are people in this country who have never heard of khaki. These are the people who write official Army communications, and who always refer to it as "drab clothing" or "neutral-tinted uniform." The other day a company officer made a bet that he would get the word used by officialdom. So, seizing his next opportunity, he replied to an official letter saying that his men had no drab uniform, "only khaki." Back came the reply: "The uniform referred to in your letter is that officially designated 'drab.'"



Miss Gina Palermo, who is to appear as Chicquette in the often-postponed "Betty," which is now definitely to be produced at Daly's Theatre on Thursday next.

Whose Annihilation?

A soldier friend of mine suffering from the melancholy consequent upon a series of medical operations defined the soldier's lot to me as "inoculation, vaccination, isolation and annihilation." Cheering up half an hour later, he explained that he meant the annihilation to refer to the Germans.

A Recruiting Comedy.

I saw a pretty little comedy at the close of one of yesterday's London recruiting meetings. The hero was a well-set-up youth, with short curls and a good chin; the heroine a tall girl with pouting red lips and an abundance of black hair. When I noticed them they were arguing fiercely and she was holding him by the arm with two restraining hands.

But He Went.

He flung her off—rather roughly, I thought—and in another minute was handing in his name and particulars. Her face was a study—so black at first, and then, as temper gave way to sorrow, so very pitiful. But I had the pleasure of seeing them march off together, by which time she was an exemplar of this spring month—all smiles and tears.

"The London Jewellers."

"One of Them" writes me "apropos of your paragraph about the contingent of the Covent Garden Branch of the National Defence League being called the 'Jordan Highlanders,' I know you will be interested to learn we are also called 'The Apple Corps' and 'The London Jewellers.'"

His Point of View.

It happened in America; at least, so they tell me. Said the Judge: "Prisoner, have you anything to say?" "Only this, your Honour," replied the prisoner. "I'd be mighty sorry if the young lawyer you assigned to me was ever called upon to defend an innocent man."

Censored.

I can't tell you where it comes from because the Censor has neatly torn off the address, but it must come from the trenches, because the correspondent I am writing about tells me something that happened in the firing line on Easter Monday.

They Stopped to Listen.

He had read my note of some days ago concerning skylarks in London. "How about skylarks in the firing line?" he asks, and continues, "We were in the trenches on Easter Monday, and during a lull in the rain, we heard a skylark right over our heads. Its song could be heard despite the firing. The Germans were only sixty yards away, and they heard it too, for they held their fire and listened until it was lost in the clouds."

Parsimonious German Buffets.

If any of my readers should be passing through Munster (Germany) these days—which Fortune forbid!—they will read this notice in the railway-station buffets and restaurants: "Travellers are requested to eat little, because of the duration of the war. You will thus second us in the efforts we are recommended to make with a view of economising the provisions in the railway buffets."

One Plate Enough.

The "recommendation" issued to proprietors of the buffets by the management reads as follows: "Be, above all, parsimonious in serving out bread, meat, grease, etc. You must see that the sale of these commodities is proportionate to the duration of the war. One plate of meat should be considered sufficient at dinner. The cuisine will usually consist of vegetables and hors-d'oeuvres."

Mr. Fred Thompson.

Mr. Fred Thompson, the author of "To-night's the Night," the new musical comedy with which the Gaiety will reopen during the course of the next few weeks, is, like Mr. A. E. W. Mason, Mr. Dion Clayton Calverton and other dramatic authors, serving his King and country at the present time. I met him in uniform in Piccadilly the other morning, and he told me that on the outbreak of the war he joined the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve. He still, however, finds time to get through a certain amount of dramatic and literary work.

Three More Musical Comedies to Come.

Always an enthusiastic racegoer, Mr. Thompson was responsible for the racing scene in the Alhambra revue "Kill That Fly"; he also collaborated with Mr. George Grossmith in "8d. a Mile," and will be remembered as the author of that most entertaining revue at the London Pavilion, "Alice-Up-to-Date." "To-night's the Night," he tells me, is his first musical comedy.

Miss Haidee de Rance.

I had a talk yesterday with Miss Haidee de Rance, who is to make her appearance in the new Gaiety piece. She has pretty golden curly hair, blue eyes, and a charming mouth, and is only eighteen years of age. She is not only a fine singer, but, like one of her predecessors who "made good," Miss-Denise Orme, she is a clever violinist.

Belgian Blood.

Her mother taught her to sing, but she studied the violin under Wilhelm and Saurer. She has a little Belgian blood in her veins, for her father is half Belgian, "but my mother is all English," she will tell you.

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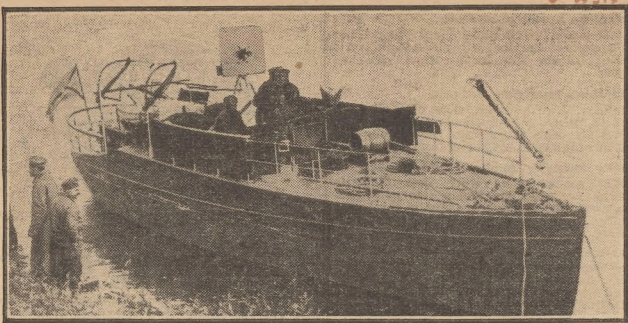
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settle to nothing" till he came home, and the next moment she said she'd give him the greatest piece of her mind as ever. . . .

"They've stayed for the rain," Sonia consoled her. "Some men won't drive through mud and rain; it makes the car so dirty."

But she felt a little apprehensive herself. From what she knew of Montague he would drive through anything.

She found a book down in Mrs. Simpson's sitting-room and tried to read, but it was a very old and torn copy of the "Wide, Wide World," and by the time the heroine had burst into tears half a dozen times in half as many pages Sonia gave it up in despair.

People did not cry like that in real life—the bitterest tears were always shed in one's heart. By eleven o'clock the rain stopped.

"They'll come now," said Sonia from the window. "Cheer up! I am sure Mr. Simpson will be here directly."

"He'll be that surprised to see you, miss," Mrs. Simpson declared. "He always said as you was the nicest young lady as he'd ever met, and he don't take easily to people, as you might say."

"That's very kind of him," said Sonia, smiling. "I—" She broke off as the door bell pealed.

Mrs. Simpson screamed. "That's him!" she said exultantly. She panted along the passage and flung wide the door. Sonia heard the sound of a man's rather surly voice; after a moment husband and wife came back to the room where she waited.

Mrs. Simpson came first. When she was well inside the door she turned to the man following her.

"Now, here's a surprise for you!" she said triumphantly. "You never thought you was going to see, did you?"

Sonia turned from the window; there was a little nervous smile on her lips; the man behind Mrs. Simpson bowed awkwardly; a swift look of blank amazement had crossed his features. . . .

"Glad to see you, miss . . . glad to see you," he said; but there was a curious inflection in his voice.

Sonia made a few desultory remarks; she was longing to hear where he had been and why he had stayed out all night, but she was afraid to show her anxiety.

"Your wife was afraid something had happened," she said.

"No, miss." The answer was non-committal; Simpson stood twisting his hat and staring at the ground.

Presently Sonia left them; she went reluctantly up to her room; in her own mind she was sure that something had happened, and she was right, for, as soon as the door closed behind her, Simpson's whole manner changed; he rounded eagerly on his wife.

"How did she get here? How long has she been here? If only I'd known. . . ."

Mrs. Simpson stared.

"Why, what in the world's the matter?"

Simpson flung down his hat.

"Matter! when we've been out all night looking for her! When she's run away from home!"

"Run away two days before her wedding!"

"What! . . . Wedding! . . . Man alive! Who to?"

"Why, Mr. Montague, of course; he's off his head about it all; guess he'll never rest till he finds her. . . ."

"If only I'd ha' known she was here. . . ."

There will be another splendid instalment on Monday.

DO YOU LACK SELF-CONFIDENCE?

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Dressmaker's Advice to Her Former Sweetheart in Angry Letter.

That lots of girls started to get their trousseaux ready as soon as they left school was the statement made in Mr. Justice Scrutton's court yesterday by Miss Rose Drazny, dressmaker, of Fendale-road, Brixton, who brought an action for damages for alleged breach of promise of marriage against Arthur William Frederick Hubbard, printer's manager, of Sugar House-lane, Stratford. The jury awarded her £60 damages.

Mr. S. P. Kerr, in opening the case for the plaintiff, said it was not a humorous breach of promise case at all. It was quite serious.

The plaintiff was twenty-six years of age and the defendant was quite young. For many years they were close companions and friends, and in July, 1913, they were formally engaged to be married. Defendant did not deny that, but he said that the plaintiff broke off the engagement.

In August last year the defendant seemed to have met another young woman, and the plaintiff said that the defendant became fond of the young woman and that his affection for the plaintiff cooled. They had a rather serious lovers' quarrel, and the defendant said he could not marry the plaintiff.

The next thing was a letter dated August 12, four days afterwards, the contents of which, as far as the plaintiff remembered, were as follow: "Dear Rose—I am sorry that after the other night we must part. I am too busy to call. I am going away for a few days; if not I shall have a breakdown. All things happen for the best."

In reply, plaintiff wrote a letter to the defendant, which, said counsel, ought not to have

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been written—the letter of an angry, jealous woman. Some passages of it were as follow:—

"I thank God from the bottom of my heart that he has saved me from such a scoundrel. You have told me thousands of lies. You have been carrying on with the girl called Nelly ever since you were introduced to her."

"I will give you a word of advice before I close, although you can never come back to me, and that is to loosen yourself from this party as soon as you can. I have little sympathy for you."

Plaintiff said she was sorry she put certain things into her letter, and in cross-examination said one of the items in her claim was £15 for wedding trousseau.

Defendant said he had since married the girl Nelly.

JURY DISAGREE.

Miss Victoria Poulton's action for alleged conspiracy to libel her was concluded yesterday in Mr. Justice Lawrence's court.

The defendants were Lady Susan Milman, her three daughters, Miss Violet and Miss Rosalind Milman and Mrs. Swann-Mason, and her son-in-law, the Rev. R. Swann-Mason, a naval chaplain.

The Judge said there appeared to be no need to call Lady Milman, as there was no evidence against her.

Counsel for the defence then asked for judgment in the case of Lady Milman and Miss Violet Milman, and Mr. Justice Lawrence said judgment would be entered in their favour.

In regard to the other three defendants the case went to the jury, who disagreed and were discharged.

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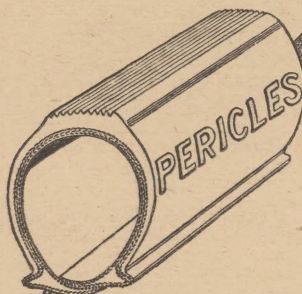
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WAR AND GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

Calling Up the Middle-Aged.

All men in the villages of the Trentino from forty-two to fifty years of age who have served are stated, says Reuter, to have been called to the colours.

£700,000 for Art Treasures.

Messrs. Duveen Brothers, says the Central News, have bought the Morgan collection of eighteenth century French objects of art, for, it is reported, approximately £700,000.

French Cruiser's Good Work.

A French cruiser, it is officially announced, says the Central News, has destroyed the railway bridge connecting the interior system of Syria with the town of St. Jean d'Acre.

Author's Lost Case.

Holding there was no case to go to the jury, Mr. Justice Bray, in the King's Bench, yesterday, gave judgment for Mr. Robert Ross, who had been sued for alleged malicious prosecution by Mr. T. W. H. Crosland, the well-known author.

"A Whack at the Boozie Devil."

Billy Sunday, the American baseball revivalist, says Reuter, who has been asked to take part in the anti-alcohol campaign in England, says that a brief visit is just possible as he is anxious "to take a whack at the boozie devil wherever his head is up for a target."

RACING AT DERBY.

Easy Victory for Lord Annandale in the Doveridge Handicap.

Lord Annandale made amends for his defeat in the Lincolnshire Handicap by winning the Doveridge Handicap at Derby yesterday. He started a hot favourite in a field of nine and won very easily from Dutch Lady and Modubeagh.

Outram, Couragous and View Law, the latter carrying a 10lb. penalty, were the Lincolnshire horses in the field, but most danger to Lord Annandale was expected from Donaconey. The latter, however, again ran badly, and he evidently does not show his best form on a racecourse.

Like the chief event, the majority of the minor races were won by horses which had faded previously when heavily backed. Switchback, just beaten at Kempton Park, had an easy task in the Elvaston Castle Plate, and Parana outclassed his opponents in the Sudbury Plate.

Windlesham frightened away most of the opposition in the Quarndon Handicap, and odds were laid on Mr. Barton's colt to make amends for his defeat by Dacato at Warwick. As expected, he had a very easy task. In the absence of Provider, Lagard was favourite for the Drakehow Plate, and he won in runaway style from Crowned Head.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

- 2.0.—Highfield Plate—QUEEN'S LOCH.
- 2.30.—Osmaston Plate—FLASH OF STEEL.
- 3.0.—Derwent Plate—ANTHONY.
- 3.30.—Derbyshire Plate—DON DE ROCA.
- 4.0.—Chaddesden Plate—BATHURST BOLDIER.
- 4.30.—Chatsworth Stakes—BROWN RONALD.

DOUBLE EVENT FOR TO-DAY.

FLASH OF STEEL and DON DE ROCA. BOUVERIE.

DERBY RACING RETURNS.

- 2.0.—ELVASTON CASTLE PLATE. 5/-.—SWITCHBACK (11-4), Wheatley, 1; Turberville (8-1), 2; Hilderton (5-1), 3. Also ran: Common Imp (4-1), Irish Cherry Margaret (4-1), Fauvette, Treggyn, Gay Green, Lady Buchanan and Balm Prince (100-7).
- 2.30.—SUDBURY PLATE. 5/-.—PARANA (4-5), F. Bullocky, 1; Alma (100-8), 2; Spartan (100-8), 3. Also ran: Crick (4-1), Colour Boy (7-1), Prairie (10-1) and Helique (100-9).
- 3.0.—WELBECK H.C.P. 5/-.—LUXOR (100-6), Fox, 1; Warden (10-1), 2; Drucilla (6-5), 3. Also ran: Bonmahon (6-1), Litigation, Short Skirt, Dunkipper (7-1), Balmoral, Beche de Mer, Galopina and Master Macdonald (100-9).
- 3.30.—DOVERIDGE H.C.P. 1m.—LORD ANNANDALE (10-1), 1; Dutch Lady (10-1), 2; Modubeagh (100-7), 3. Also ran: Donaconey, Outram (4-1), Couragous (8-1), View Law (10-1), Silver Spray and Oydrome (100-7).
- 4.0.—QUARNDON H.C.P. 1m.—WINDLESHAM (4-7), Fox, 1; Fair Springs (100-8), 2; Simon's Hope (4-1), 3. Also ran: Ptolemy (8-1), Footman and Hargobus (100-8).
- 4.30.—DRAKEHOW PLATE. 13m.—LAGGARD (11-10), Dick, 1; Crowned Head (5-1), 2; Initiator (100-15), 3. Also ran: Dally Lad (100-15), Papingo and Corrigarth (20-1).

Admiral as Sergeant-at-Arms.

Vice-Admiral Sir Colin Richard Keppel has been appointed Sergeant-at-Arms-in-Ordinary to the King in the room of Sir David Erskine, resigned.

Vicar Joins Munition Makers.

The Rev. J. W. Adams, vicar of Wall, near Lichfield, who is a practical mechanic, has entered Kynoch's factory and is working at a lathe at ordinary hours for ordinary pay.

Airman Shot by Sentry.

While motoring on duty near Polegate (Sussex), yesterday Lieutenant George C. Colmore, a military airman, was shot in the leg by a sentry, owing, it is stated, to a misunderstanding.

Prussian Sunflower Butter.

Prussian village station-masters, says the Exchange, have been ordered to plant sunflowers around their stations, for sunflowers are said to yield oil which can be used in the manufacture of butter substitutes.

Who Has Seen the Missing Hat?

The City Police have not relaxed their efforts to find the murderer of little Maggie Nally, but up to yesterday morning no arrest had been made, and the child's hat, which was missing when her body was discovered, has not yet been found.

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TO-DAY'S ATHLETICS.

Aldershot.—Novices' company team race. Knote Park, Sevenoaks.—Holmesdale A.C. invitation military race. Colchester.—13th Reserve Cavalry Regiment Marathon race. Lewes.—101st Brigade R.F.A. sports. Hotel Cecil.—Amateur Athletic Association annual general meeting.

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Ambassador was struck out of the City and Suburban Handicap at 9 a.m. yesterday. The final tie for the Amateur Cup between Clapton and Bishop Auckland will be played on the Millwall ground at New Cross this afternoon. Those clever freight boxers Billy Rowlands (South Wales) and Alf Mansfield (Aldgate) meet in a twenty rounds contest at the Ring to-night. In connection with Newman's challenge to Inman to take 2,500 start in 18,000, the champion yesterday said he could not think of giving a player of Newman's class more than 1,500 in 18,000. Charles Johns, who is leaving Ashford Manor Golf Club to take up the duties of professional to the Purley Downs Golf Club, went round the Ashford Manor course, while playing with Mr. J. E. Buckland, in the fine score of 67.

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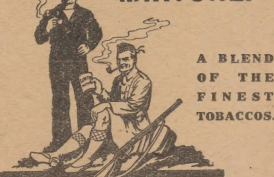
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General Garibaldi was the popular hero.

was not declared it meant revolution, and he would be prepared to be at the head, he said. At length matters got so serious that the soldiers had to be called out, and many arrests were made.

LONDON BOY MISSING.



George McKay, of Devonshire-terrace, Hyde Park, who has been missing since last Tuesday week. He is fair and slight, with blue eyes.

THREE OFFICERS DECORATED BY THE KING.



Major F. W. Gossett.



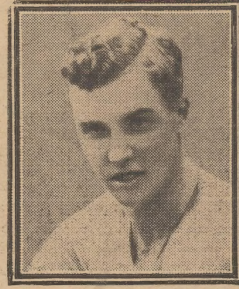
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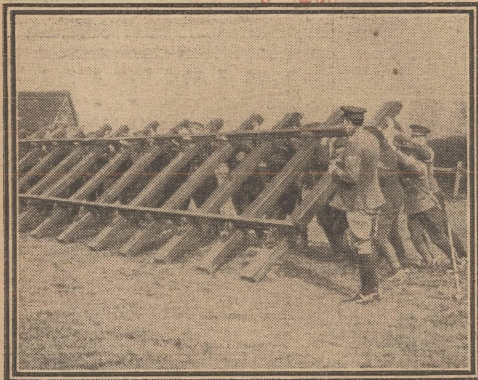
Three officers who have been made Companions of the Distinguished Service Order by the King. Captain Darell belongs to the Coldstream Guards and Captain Nicol to the Grenadiers. Major Gossett is an artillery officer.—(Speight.)

OARSMAN PRISONER.



Lieutenant O. Mansell-Moulin, a well-known member of the London Rowing Club, who is reported a prisoner of war. He has rowed at Henley.

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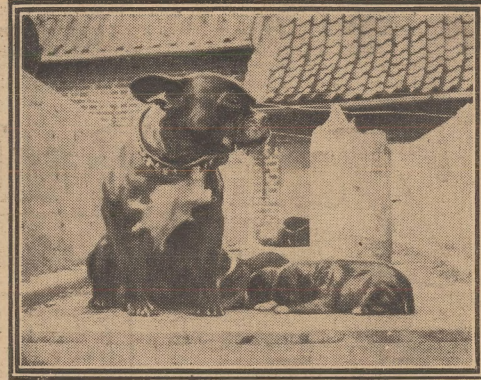
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TO-DAY'S WEDDING.



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Bulldog who goes into the trenches every day. Her puppies are not allowed to accompany their mother on account of their tender years, but when older they will no doubt become mascots.